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Donna R. Searcy Secretary Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Counter-Proposal of Monte Corporation,

RM-8084, MM Docket No. 92-241

Dear Ms. Searcy:

SUSAN H. ROSENAU ADMITTED IN D.C.ONLY

On behalf of Monte Corporation, permittee of KBRD(FM), Seaside, Oregon, enclosed for filing please find the original and four copies of the Counter-Proposal of Monte Corporation to Petition for Rule Making of Pacific Northwest Broadcasting Corporation.

Kindly communicate any questions directly to this office.

Yours very truly,

Susan H. Rosenau

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Monte R. Clark

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Before the

Federal Communications Commission Commission Commission of the SECHETARY

Washington, D.C. 20554

In The Matter Of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Of the Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Camas, Washington and Seaside, Oregon) MM Docket No. 92-241 RM -- 8084

TO:

Chief, Allocations Branch Policy and Rules Division

COUNTER-PROPOSAL OF MONTE CORPORATION TO PETITION FOR RULE MAKING OF PACIFIC NORTHWEST BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Pursuant to Sections 1.415 and 1.420 of the Commission's Rules, Monte Corporation, by its attorneys, respectfully submits the following counterproposal to Pacific Northwest Broadcasting Corporation's Petition for Rule Making and Request for Issuance of Order to Show Cause, served August 28, 1992 ("Petition"). In support thereof, Monte Corporation ("Monte") states as follows:

1. This Counterproposal is timely filed pursuant to the Order to Show Cause released by the Commission on October 26, 1992, *Camas*, *Washington and Seaside*, *Oregon*, DA 92-1333 (MMB, October 26, 1992).

- 2. In its Petition, Pacific Northwest Broadcasting Corporation, permittee of WMUZ-FM, Camas, Washington ("Pacific") proposed that the Commission amend the FM Table of Allotments by replacing Channel 234C3 in Camas, Washington with Channel 234C2, and by replacing Channel 234A in Seaside, Oregon with Channel 235A.
- 3. Pacific further requested that the Commission modify its construction permit for WMUZ-FM to specify operation on Channel 234C2 in lieu of Channel 234C3, and issue an order to show cause why Monte's construction permit for KBRD(FM) should not be modified to specify operation on Channel 235A in lieu of Channel 234A.
- 4. Monte proposes that, if the Commission were to allot FM Channel 251A to Seaside, Oregon in lieu of either Channel 234A (Monte's present channel) or Channel 235A (the channel proposed in Pacific's Petition), and modify Monte's construction permit for operation on Channel 251A, Monte would be afforded an opportunity in the near future for an upgrade in service. A review of the Commission's database reveals that KING-FM, Seattle, Washington, intends to move its transmitter site from Queen Anne's Hill to West Tiger Mountain. The Commission modified KING-FM's construction permit accordingly on November 10, 1992 (File No. BPH-920707ID). The spacing between Monte's proposed site and KING-FM's West Tiger Mountain site is sufficient to permit KBRD(FM) to upgrade its service from Channel 251A to Channel 251C3.

- 5. Further, as set forth the Engineering Statement of Kenneth Williams, Jr., P.E., submitted herewith as Attachment 1, allotment of Channel 251A would increase Monte's service area and allow Monte to reach a greater number of listeners.
- 6. Monte's proposed antenna site coordinates are (N)45-54-35 and (W) 123-56-07 (see Attachment 1). These coordinates comply with the Commission's minimum distance requirements and the 9 km site restriction applicable to Channel 251.
- 7. At the foregoing coordinates, KBRD(FM) can locate a tower and transmitter which will place a 70 DBU contour beyond the city boundaries of its community of license. The proposed 70 DBU contour is set forth in Exhibit No. 5 to Attachment 1. Accordingly, Monte's counterproposal complies with Section 73.315(a) of the Commission's Rules. KBRD(FM) will obtain the necessary Canadian consent to its proposed site.
- 8. All known spacings between KBRD(FM)'s proposed site and the other allotted and proposed stations in the area, including stations in Canada, are greater than the minimum required by Section 73.207 of the Commission's Rules. There appear to be no conflicts with KBRD(FM)'s proposal.

- 9. In its Petition, Pacific has acknowledged its obligation to reimburse Monte for the reasonable expenses incurred in connection with changing Monte's operating frequency. Petition at ¶6. Because Monte's counterproposal permits Pacific to accomplish its upgrade, allows Monte to increase its service area and population, and potentially upgrade its signal at a later date, the Commission should adopt Monte's counterproposal in lieu of Pacific's proposal and order Pacific to pay Monte's reasonable expenses for relocating. *See Milan, Metter, Swainsboro and Wrens, Georgia*, 6 FCC Rcd 5793, 5793-94 (MMB, 1991). In accordance with *Circleville, Ohio*, 8 FCC 2d 159 (1967), Monte will negotiate in good faith with Pacific to determine the amount of reimbursement to which it is entitled.
- 10. If the Commission grants Monte's counterproposal, Monte will promptly file its application to modify its construction permit and, upon grant of its application, promptly construct and operate its modified facilities at Seaside, Oregon.

CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, Monte Corporation respectfully requests that the Commission: (1) modify the proposal set forth in Pacific's Petition as set forth in Monte's Counterproposal, and accordingly allot Channel 251A to Seaside, Oregon in lieu of either Channel 234A or Channel 235A; and (2) modify Monte's construction permit for operation on Channel 251A.

Respectfully submitted,

MONTE CORPORATION

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Susan H. Rosenau

Its Attorneys

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, an employee of Haley, Bader & Potts, hereby certifies that the foregoing document was mailed this date by First Class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, or was hand-delivered*, to the following:

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ENGINEERING EXHIBITS

COUNTER-PROPOSAL OF MONTE CORPORATION FOR ALLOCATION OF FM CHANNEL 251(A) 98.1 MHz

KENNETH WILLIAMS, JR., P.E. CONSULTING ENGINEER (206) 756-7544 TACOMA, WASHINGTON

KENNETH WILLIAMS, Jr. P.E. Consulting Engineer TACOMA, WASHINGTON 98407

GENERAL ENGINEERING STATEMENT

The following Engineering data supports a request to amend Section 73.202(b), FM Table of Allotments.

This proposal will not alter other presently assigned or allotted channels or result in short spacing with existing and proposed stations in the U.S. or Canada.

FM channel 251A can be allotted to Seaside, Oregon in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 9 km South of Seaside, Oregon.

Distance from the restricted site to various channels are shown on attached exhibit No. 1. All distance values are in km.

All known spacings are greater than the minimum required.

The proposed site is within 320 km of the Canadian-U.S. border, thus Canadian concurrence is required.

There is ample space in the restricted site area to locate a a tower and transmitter which will provide a 70 DBU contour which extends well beyond the most distant City Boundaries of Seaside. The placement of the 70 DBU arc across the City is shown as exhibit No. 5.

There are no known conflicts with our proposal to allocate this channel to Seaside, Oregon.

The proposed change in channel allotment with site change will result in a modest increase in population and service area.

ENGINEERS CERTIFICATION

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Kenneth Williams, Jr., P.E., being duly sworn on his oath, states that he is an experienced and qualified Radio Engineer, licensed as a Registered Professional Electrical Engineer in the States of Washington and Oregon, and as such maintains an office for the practice of Electrical and Communications Engineering. Having been in continuous practice as a Consulting Engineer for over 27 years, his qualifications are thus a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission.

The Engineering data herein, was prepared by him or under his supervision, and all representation of fact contained in said report is based on affiants measurement formation and belief, and he believes all states herein to be true and correct.

ENGIN TOWATER SEAL

EXPIRES: 07/15/85

Sworn to before me Jacoban from Miliana a Notary Public of Tacoma, Washington, on this 26th day of

My Commission Expires April 4, 1995.

NOTARY STATE SEAL

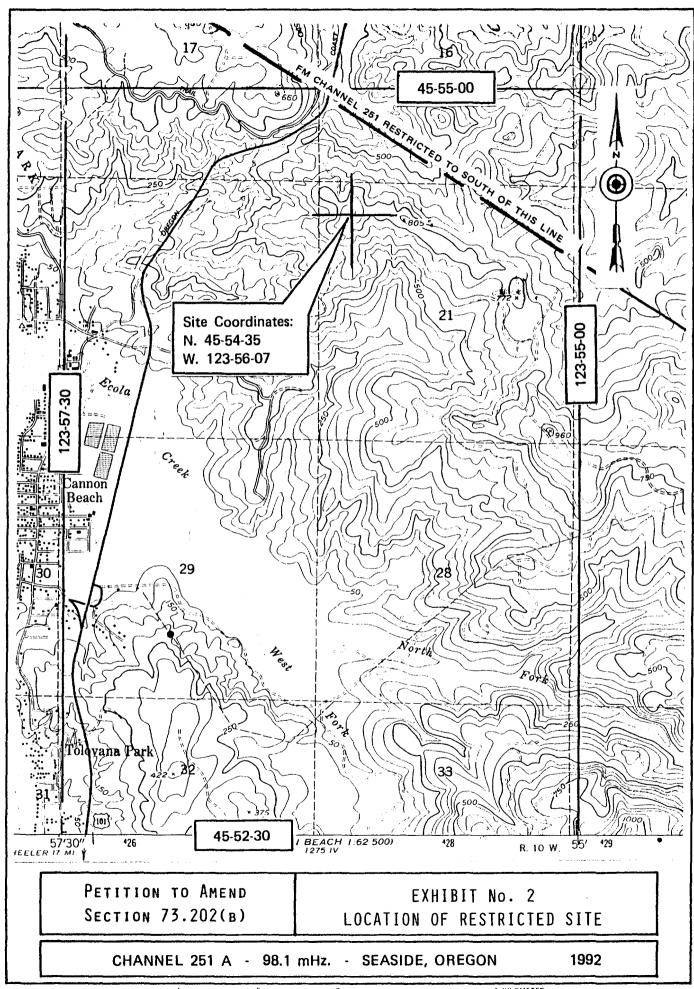
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Notary Public State of Washington
My Comm. Expires 4-4-95

CLASS A FM CHANNEL STUDY ** CHANNEL 251 **

| REFERENCE SITE - SEASIDE, OR N. 45 54 35 W. 123 56 7 | | | | | | | |
|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| CHANNEL CALL & CLASS STATUS | Owner/Applicant (m) (kw) (m) CITY HORZ->AHAAT/ERP/AMSL | (deg) (km) LATITUDE AZIMUTH DIST LONGITUDE [MARGIN] | | | | | |
| 97.5 Mhz. | Stephanie Linn Gleneden Beach 257 17.0 339 | 44-45-22 184.0 128.5 124- 2-57 73.5 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 97.7 Mhz. 249 C2 KACIFM FM LIC | Nugent Broadcasting Corporation The Dalles 272 4.2 613 OR BLH 900424KI 272 4.2 613 | 45-38-56 98.0 209.0 121-16-20 154.0 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 97.7 Mhz. 249 A KSWW FM LIC | | 46-41-44 8.2 88.3 123-46-17 57.3 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 97.7 Mhz. 249 C3 KSWW FM CP | <u> </u> | 46-41-44 8.2 88.3 123-46-17 46.3 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 97.9 Mhz. 250 C KUGNFM FM LIC | Combined Communications, Incorporated Eugene 308 100. 500 OR BLH 910528KF 308 75. 500 | 44- 0- 8 163.0 221.7 | | | | | |
| 98.1 Mhz. 251 C KINGFM FM CP | | 47-37-55 32.3 226.5 122-20-59 0.5 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 98.1 Mhz. 251 C KINGFM FM APP | | 47-30-14 40.2 232.1 121-58-29 6.1 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 98.1 Mhz. 251 Cl KINGFM FM LIC | Classic Radio, Inc. Seattle 213 100. 305 WA BLH 6462 | 47-37-55 32.3 226.5 122-20-59 26.5 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| 98.5 Mhz. 253 C KUPLFM FM LIC | | 45-27-13 115.1 119.5 122-32-45 24.5 KM CLEAR | | | | | |
| >>>>> END OF CHANNEL 251 SEARCH < | | | | | | | |
| PETITION TO AMEND SECTION 73.202(B) EXHIBIT NO. 1 CLASS A FM CHANNEL STUDY | | | | | | | |

CHANNEL 251 A - 98.1 MHz - SEASIDE, OREGON

1992



Starting point coordinates: 45 54 35 123 56 7

Maximum distance: 16.0 km

| Azimuth | Endpoint C | oordinates | 3 - 16 km Average Elevation | | |
|---------|------------|------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| .0 | 46.0536 | 123.9353 | 26.5 meters | | |
| 45.0 | 46.0114 | 123.7887 | 241.6 | | |
| 90.0 | 45.9095 | 123.7284 | 140.1 | | |
| 135.0 | 45.8079 | 123.7893 | 367.7 | | |
| 180.0 | 45.7658 | 123.9353 | 230.0 | | |
| 225.0 | 45.8079 | 124.0813 | . 2 | | |
| 270.0 | 45.9095 | 124.1421 | .0 | | |
| 315.0 | 46.0114 | 124.0818 | 28.0 | | |
| | | | | | |

Average of all radials: 129.3 meters

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EXHIBIT No. 3 NDGC TERRAIN DATA DISTANCES TO CONTOURS (Kilometers):

Frequency: 98.1000 MHz

F(50,50) Curves Number of Contours: 2

ERP CONTOUR LEVELS (dBu): ΑZ HAAT (m) (dBk) 70.0 60.0 (degs) 7.80 23.3 38.8 203 .0 45.0 -12 7.80 8.9 15.9 15.3 27.1 89 7.80 90.0 135.0 -138 7.80 8.9 15.9 8.9 15.9 7.80 180.0 -1 225.0 229 7.80 24.6 40.8 7.80 24.6 40.8 270.0 229 7.80 23.2 38.7 315.0 201

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EXHIBIT No. 4
TABULATED SERVICE CONTOUR DATA

